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INFORMATION REPORT

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SUBJECT	Construction of High-Voltage Long-Distance Line in Western Slovakia	DATE DISTR.	25 May 1953
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1. Construction of a high-voltage long-distance power line is going on in the areas between Ilava (P 49/T 69) and Valaska Bela (P 49/T 88), Ladce and Ilava, and Nova Bana (Q 49/U 03) and Svaty Benedik (Q 49/T 92).
2. The wires of this high-voltage line will be carried by iron twin-poles. High voltage will flow through three wires while a fourth wire will be dead. The wires will be attached to insulators combined in a circular arrangement, seven insulators to a set.
3. Source estimates the voltage of the line, when completed, at between 60,000 and 110,000 volts.
4. According to local rumor, the high-voltage line is to go as far as Hungary.¹

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